

HOUSE No. 1985

By Mr. Atsalis of Barnstable, petition of Demetrius J. Atsalis that the Registrar of Motor Vehicles be directed to issue distinctive motor vehicle plates for recipients of the Combat Infantry Badge. Transportation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR DISTINCTIVE MOTOR VEHICLE PLATES FOR RECIPIENTS OF THE COMBAT INFANTRY BADGE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Section 2 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in
2 the 1998 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the
3 16th paragraph the following paragraph:—
4 The registrar shall furnish without charge to owners of private
5 passenger motor vehicles who are veterans, who have been
6 awarded the Combat Infantry Badge, upon presentation of satis-
7 factory evidence of such status as determined by the registrar, dis-
8 tinctive registration plates for one private passenger motor vehicle
9 owned and principally used by such survivor; provided, however,
10 that the surviving spouse of a deceased survivor may elect to
11 retain such distinctive registration plates for personal use upon
12 payment of the established registration fee for private passenger
13 motor vehicles and an additional annual \$20 fee until such time as
14 such spouse remarries or fails to renew or cancels such registra-
15 tion.